

# PROJECT 10073 RECORD

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| <b>1. DATE - TIME GROUP</b><br>24 March 1966 25/0415Z   | <b>2. LOCATION</b><br>Sheboygan, Wisconsin (2 Witnesses)   |
| <b>3. SOURCE</b><br>Civilian  | <b>10. CONCLUSION</b><br>AIRCRAFT  |
| <b>4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS</b><br>One  | No data presented to indicate object could NOT have been an A/C.   |
| <b>5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION</b><br>4 Minutes  | <b>11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS</b><br><p>Observers noted object with bright white lights approaching from the south. As object got closer, green and red lights appeared. Object stopped directly over head. The span between the lights was approximately like the span of the wings of a large airplane. Object disappeared and reappeared to both witnesses.</p> |
| <b>6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION</b><br>Ground-Visual  |  |
| <b>7. COURSE</b><br>S to N  |  |
| <b>8. PHOTOS</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No            |  |
| <b>9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |  |



FTD (TDEW)  
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433  
18 May 1966

Sheboygan, Wisconsin 53081

Dear Mrs.

Reference your unidentified observation of 24 March 1966. The information which we have received is not sufficient for evaluation. Request you complete the attached FTD Form 164 and return it in the envelope provided.

Sincerely,

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Major, USAF  
Chief, Project Blue Book



# U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION

This questionnaire has been prepared so that you can give the U.S. Air Force as much information as possible concerning the unidentified aerial phenomenon that you have observed. Please try to answer as many questions as you possibly can. The information that you give will be used for research purposes. Your name will not be used in connection with any statements, conclusions, or publications without your permission. We request this personal information so that if it is deemed necessary, we may contact you for further details.

1. When did you see the object?

24 March 1966  
Day Month Year

2. Time of day: 10 15  
Hour Minutes

(Circle One): A.M. or P.M.

3. Time Zone:

(Circle One): a. Eastern  
b. Central  
c. Mountain  
d. Pacific  
e. Other \_\_\_\_\_

(Circle One): a. Daylight Saving  
b. Standard

4. Where were you when you saw the object?

[Redacted] Shelbygan Wisconsin  
Nearest Postal Address City or Town State or County  
1100 Broadway Ave. between 13th and 14th streets

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration)

— 4 —  
Hours Minutes Seconds

a. Certain  
b. Fairly certain  
c. Not very sure  
d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined? Estimated

5.2 Was object in sight continuously?

Yes —

No See explanation on page 7

6. What was the condition of the sky?

DAY  
a. Bright  
b. Cloudy

NIGHT  
a. Bright  
b. Cloudy

7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, where was the SUN located as you looked at the object?

(Circle One): a. In front of you  
b. In back of you  
c. To your right

d. To your left  
e. Overhead  
f. Don't remember



8. IF you saw the object at NIGHT, what did you notice concerning the STARS and MOON?

8.1 STARS (Circle One):

- a. None
- b. A few
- c. Many
- d. Don't remember

8.2 MOON (Circle One):

- a. Bright moonlight
- b. Dull moonlight
- c. No moonlight - pitch dark
- d. Don't remember

9. What were the weather conditions at the time you saw the object?

CLOUDS (Circle One):

- a. Clear sky
- b. Hazy
- c. Scattered clouds
- d. Thick or heavy clouds

WEATHER (Circle One):

- a. Dry
- b. Fog, mist, or light rain
- c. Moderate or heavy rain
- d. Snow
- e. Don't remember

10. The object appeared: (Circle One):

- a. Solid
- b. Transparent
- c. Vapor
- d. As a light
- e. Don't remember

11. If it appeared as a light, was it brighter than the brightest stars? (Circle One):

- a. Brighter
- b. Dimmer
- c. About the same
- d. Don't know

11.1 Compare brightness to some common object:

12. The edges of the object were:

- (Circle One):
- a. Fuzzy or blurred
  - b. Like a bright star
  - c. Sharply outlined
  - d. Don't remember

e. Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

13. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

- a. Appear to stand still at any time?
- b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time?
- c. Break up into parts or explode?
- d. Give off smoke?
- e. Change brightness?
- f. Change shape?
- g. Flash or flicker?
- h. Disappear and reappear?

Yes  
 Yes  
 Yes  
 Yes  
 Yes  
 Yes  
Yes  
Yes

No  
 No  
No  
No  
No  
No  
 No  
 No

Don't know  
Don't know  
 Don't know  
 Don't know  
 Don't know  
 Don't know  
 Don't know  
 Don't know

Don't know see page 7



14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how?

*No see page 7*

15. Did the object move behind something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One):

Yes

No

Don't Know.

IF you answered YES, then tell what

it moved behind: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Did the object move in front of something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One):

Yes

No

Don't Know.

IF you answered YES, then tell what

in front of: \_\_\_\_\_

17. Tell in a few words the following things about the object:

a. Sound

*None*

b. Color

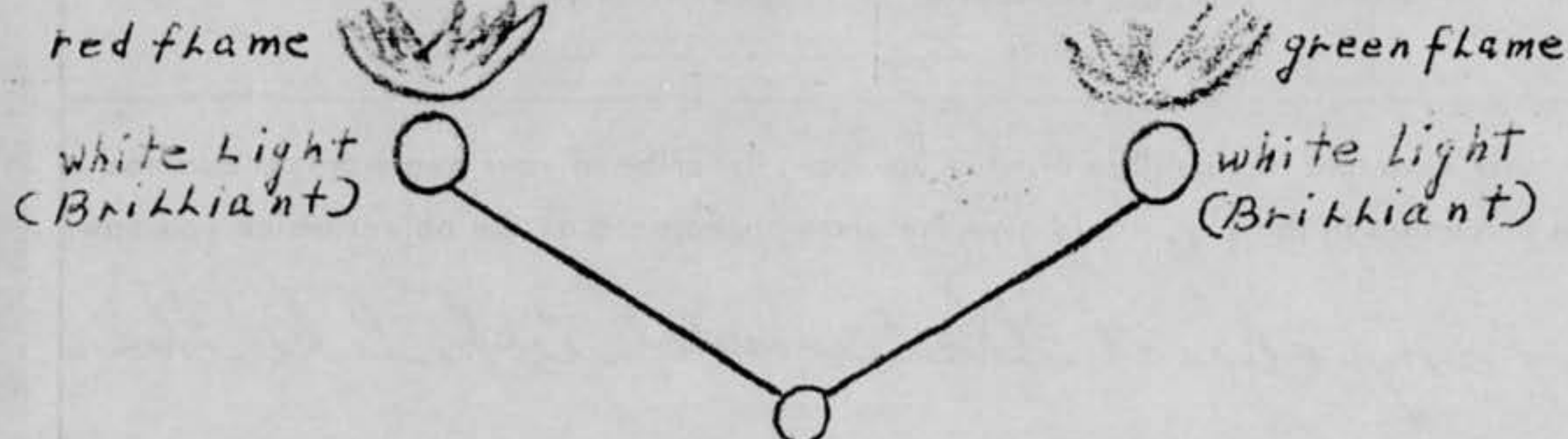
*White, red, and green lights*

18. We wish to know the angular size. Hold a match stick at arm's length in line with a known object and note how much of the object is covered by the head of the match. If you had performed this experiment at the time of the sighting, how much of the object would have been covered by the match head?

*as near to nothing as you can get.*

19. Draw a picture that will show the shape of the object or objects. Label and include in your sketch any details of the object that you saw such as wings, protrusions, etc., and especially exhaust trails or vapor trails.

Place an arrow beside the drawing to show the direction the object was moving.



*Smaller Dimmer White Light At Bottom Or Possibly Rear*

*This is view of object at  
a standstill overhead*



20. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object?

(Circle One)

Yes No

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate? 2 miles per minute

21. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you the object was?

(Circle One)

Yes No

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was? Overhead, not much higher than tree tops and houses

22. Where were you located when you saw the object?

(Circle One):

- a. Inside a building
- b. In a car
- c. Outdoors
- d. In an airplane (type)
- e. At sea
- f. Other \_\_\_\_\_

23. Were you (Circle One)

- a. In the business section of a city?
- b. In the residential section of a city?
- c. In open countryside?
- d. Near an airfield?
- e. Flying over a city?
- f. Flying over open country?
- g. Other \_\_\_\_\_

24. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

24.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

- a. North
- b. Northeast

- c. East
- d. Southeast

- e. South
- f. Southwest

- g. West
- h. Northwest

24.2 How fast were you moving? 10 miles per hour.

24.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One)

Yes No

25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

- a. Eyeglasses Yes No
- b. Sun glasses Yes No
- c. Windshield Yes No
- d. Window glass Yes No

- e. Binoculars Yes No
- f. Telescope Yes No
- g. Theodolite Yes No
- h. Other \_\_\_\_\_

26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

I don't know of any object that would look like this.



30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object before. If so give date or dates and location.

*NO*

31. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object? (Circle One)

☒ Yes

☐ No

31.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too? (Circle One)

☒ Yes

☐ No

31.2 Please list their names and addresses:

*Mrs*

*Sheboygan, Wisc. 53081*

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME

Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

ADDRESS

Street

City

Zone

State

TELEPHONE NUMBER

AGE

SEX

Indicate any additional information about yourself, including any special experience, which might be pertinent.

33. When and to whom did you report that you had seen the object?

*24*

Day

*March*

Month

*1966*

Year

*Reported to police immediately after sighting. Also sheriff's dept. We reported the following day after hearing a prominent person had also seen it and they then took the information, which they neglected to do the previous night, probably not believing us.*



[REDACTED]  
Sheboygan, Wisconsin

May 4, 1966  
PM 9 MAY 66

Project Blue Book, Information Office

SAFOI

Washington, D.C. 20330

Gentlemen:

On the night of March 24 (a very clear, but dark night) at 10:45 p.m., my sister and I were on our way home when we spotted unusual twin lights which were almost centered over the road ahead of us. Our curiosity aroused, we continued into the next block instead of making a right turn where we ordinarily would have to get home. We continued slowly for about a half block, watching whatever it was, at which point we found ourselves directly beneath the object. We then came to a stop and discovered that the object had also stopped moving. We gazed at it for about 164 seconds.

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34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

22

MAY

1966

Day

Month

Year

35. Information which you feel pertinent and which is not adequately covered in the specific points of the questionnaire or a narrative explanation of your sighting.

When we first sighted the object, it was about 1 block ahead of us. At this point it appeared to be two white, bright lights. When we were beneath it the span between the two lights seemed to be equal to a large airplane. The lights did not flicker or flash at this time. After gazing at the object we could make out hairs from the lights, or possibly was the outline of it.

We were the only moving vehicle on the street at the time. When it appeared again it seemed it may have circled around to pass over us again. Now we could see numerous lights, mostly white but some red and green. Many of these lights were flashing in a most indefinite way. The object at this time was approximately the same height as shown on diagram page 5, at 15° on curved line.



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~~REDACTED~~  
Shubaygan, Wis.

May 4, 1966

upward in amazement. We saw two bright, white lights, the span between which seemed to be like that of a large airplane. Above each white light were glowing flames - one red in color, the other green - which, by the silhouette, seemed to be contained within a bowl shape base. I was not driving, so I concentrated on ~~the~~ adjusting my eyes to try to distinguish any features. The object seemed to be just high enough to clear the tree tops and houses; yet all I could make out was either an outline of the form or two bars - whatever it was that formed a shallow V shape.



There was also a smaller, dimmer light visible at the bottom, or possibly it was more to the rear.



SHEBOY FAW, WISC

24/No-

24 MAR 66

A/c

25/04152

FTD (TDEW)  
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Chief, Project Blue Book



~~REDACTED~~  
Sheboygan, Wis.

May 4, 1966

A weird feeling came over us, especially since we were the only people on the street and in the only moving vehicle on the street at the time. We had the feeling it might descend and became a little afraid. Then we drove to the next corner, turned right, and continued for about a half block; there we parked so as to watch from a safe distance; but now it seemed to have disappeared. While we were wondering about the disappearance, we were completely surprised when the large object came from behind us and passed over us approximately 50 ft. above ground level. Now it seemed that it might have circled around to pass over us again. Now we could see numerous lights, mostly white but



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[REDACTED]  
Sheboygan, Wis.

May 4, 1966

has some merit.

They are interested in  
receiving the annual report  
of Project Blue Book.

Yours truly,

Mrs. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
Sheboygan, Wisconsin 53081

and

Mrs. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
Sheboygan, Wisconsin 53081



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1431 S. 14<sup>th</sup> St.  
Dubuque, Wis.

May 4, 1966

some red and green. Many of these lights were flashing in an indefinite pattern. We heard no sound at all coming from it at any time, and we watched for approximately one minute as it flew very low across our city from south to north and disappeared from view.

We then went home and reported the sighting to our local police. We know of at least one other person who reported a sighting on the same night.

Though this letter is regret-  
tably delayed, we hope it



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~~\_\_\_\_\_~~  
Sheboygan, Wis.

May 4, 1966

has some merit.

We are interested in  
receiving the annual report  
of Great Blue Book.

Yours truly,

Mrs. ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~

~~\_\_\_\_\_~~  
Sheboygan, Wisconsin 53081

and

Mrs. ~~\_\_\_\_\_~~

~~\_\_\_\_\_~~  
Sheboygan, Wisconsin 53081



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Hour Minutes

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3. Time Zone:

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b. Central  
c. Mountain  
d. Pacific  
e. Other \_\_\_\_\_

(Circle One): a. Daylight Saving  
b. Standard

4. Where were you when you saw the object?

South 13<sup>th</sup> SHERBOGAN WISCONSIN  
Nearest Postal Address City or Town State or County  
also Broadway Ave. between 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> Streets

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration)

— 4 —  
Hours Minutes Seconds

a. Certain  
b. Fairly certain  
c. Not very sure  
d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined? estimated

5.2 Was object in sight continuously?

Yes — No ✓ see explanation on page 7.

6. What was the condition of the sky?

DAY  
a. Bright  
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NIGHT  
a. Bright  
b. Cloudy

7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, where was the SUN located as you looked at the object?

(Circle One): a. In front of you  
b. In back of you  
c. To your right  
d. To your left  
e. Overhead  
f. Don't remember



8. IF you saw the object at NIGHT, what did you notice concerning the STARS and MOON?

8.1 STARS (Circle One):

- a. None
- b. A few
- c. Many
- d. Don't remember

8.2 MOON (Circle One):

- a. Bright moonlight
- b. Dull moonlight
- c. No moonlight - pitch dark
- d. Don't remember

9. What were the weather conditions at the time you saw the object?

CLOUDS (Circle One):

- a. Clear sky
- b. Hazy
- c. Scattered clouds
- d. Thick or heavy clouds

WEATHER (Circle One):

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- b. Fog, mist, or light rain
- c. Moderate or heavy rain
- d. Snow
- e. Don't remember

10. The object appeared: (Circle One):

- a. Solid
- b. Transparent
- c. Vapor
- d. As a light
- e. Don't remember

11. If it appeared as a light, was it brighter than the brightest stars? (Circle One):

- a. Brighter
- b. Dimmer
- c. About the same
- d. Don't know

11.1 Compare brightness to some common object:

12. The edges of the object were:

- (Circle One):
- a. Fuzzy or blurred
  - b. Like a bright star
  - c. Sharply outlined
  - d. Don't remember

e. Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

13. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

- a. Appear to stand still at any time?
- b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time?
- c. Break up into parts or explode?
- d. Give off smoke?
- e. Change brightness?
- f. Change shape?
- g. Flash or flicker?
- h. Disappear and reappear?

- |            |           |                   |
|------------|-----------|-------------------|
| <u>Yes</u> | No        | Don't know        |
| Yes        | No        | <u>Don't know</u> |
| Yes        | <u>No</u> | Don't know        |
| Yes        | <u>No</u> | Don't know        |
| Yes        | <u>No</u> | Don't know        |
| Yes        | <u>No</u> | Don't know        |
| <u>Yes</u> | No        | Don't know        |
| <u>Yes</u> | No        | Don't know        |

See page 7



14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how? *NO. SEE PAGE 7*

15. Did the object move behind something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One): Yes ☒ No Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what it moved behind: \_\_\_\_\_

16. Did the object move in front of something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One): Yes ☒ No Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what in front of: \_\_\_\_\_

17. Tell in a few words the following things about the object:

a. Sound *NONE*

b. Color *OBJECT HAD WHITE, GREEN, AND RED LIGHTS.*

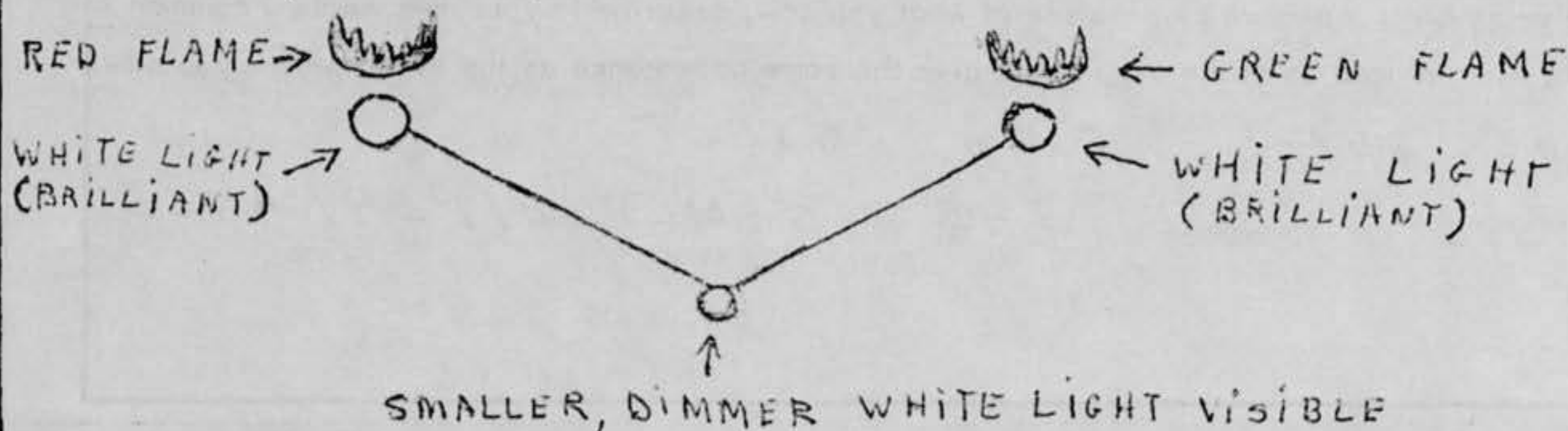
18. We wish to know the angular size. Hold a match stick at arm's length in line with a known object and note how much of the object is covered by the head of the match. If you had performed this experiment at the time of the sighting, how much of the object would have been covered by the match head?

*AS NEAR TO NOTHING AS YOU CAN GET.*

19. Draw a picture that will show the shape of the object or objects. Label and include in your sketch any details of the object that you saw such as wings, protrusions, etc., and especially exhaust trails or vapor trails.

Place an arrow beside the drawing to show the direction the object was moving.

*PICTURE OF OBJECT, WHILE MOTIONLESS, AS SEEN FROM DIRECTLY BENEATH.*



*AT THE BOTTOM, OR POSSIBLY IT WAS MORE TO THE REAR.*



20. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object?

(Circle One)

☒ Yes

No

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate? 2 miles per minute

21. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you the object was?

(Circle One)

☒ Yes

No

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was? Overhead - not much higher than the treetops and houses.

22. Where were you located when you saw the object?

(Circle One):

a. Inside a building

b. ☒ In a car

c. Outdoors

d. In an airplane (type)

e. At sea

f. Other \_\_\_\_\_

23. Were you (Circle One)

a. In the business section of a city?

b. ☒ In the residential section of a city?

c. In open countryside?

d. Near an airfield?

e. Flying over a city?

f. Flying over open country?

g. Other \_\_\_\_\_

24. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

24.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

a. North

c. East

e. ☒ South

g. West

b. Northeast

d. Southeast

f. Southwest

h. Northwest

24.2 How fast were you moving? about 10 miles per hour.

24.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One)

☒ Yes

No

25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

a. Eyeglasses

Yes

No

e. Binoculars

Yes

No

b. Sun glasses

Yes

No

f. Telescope

Yes

No

c. Windshield

☒ Yes

No

g. Theodolite

Yes

No

d. Window glass

Yes

No

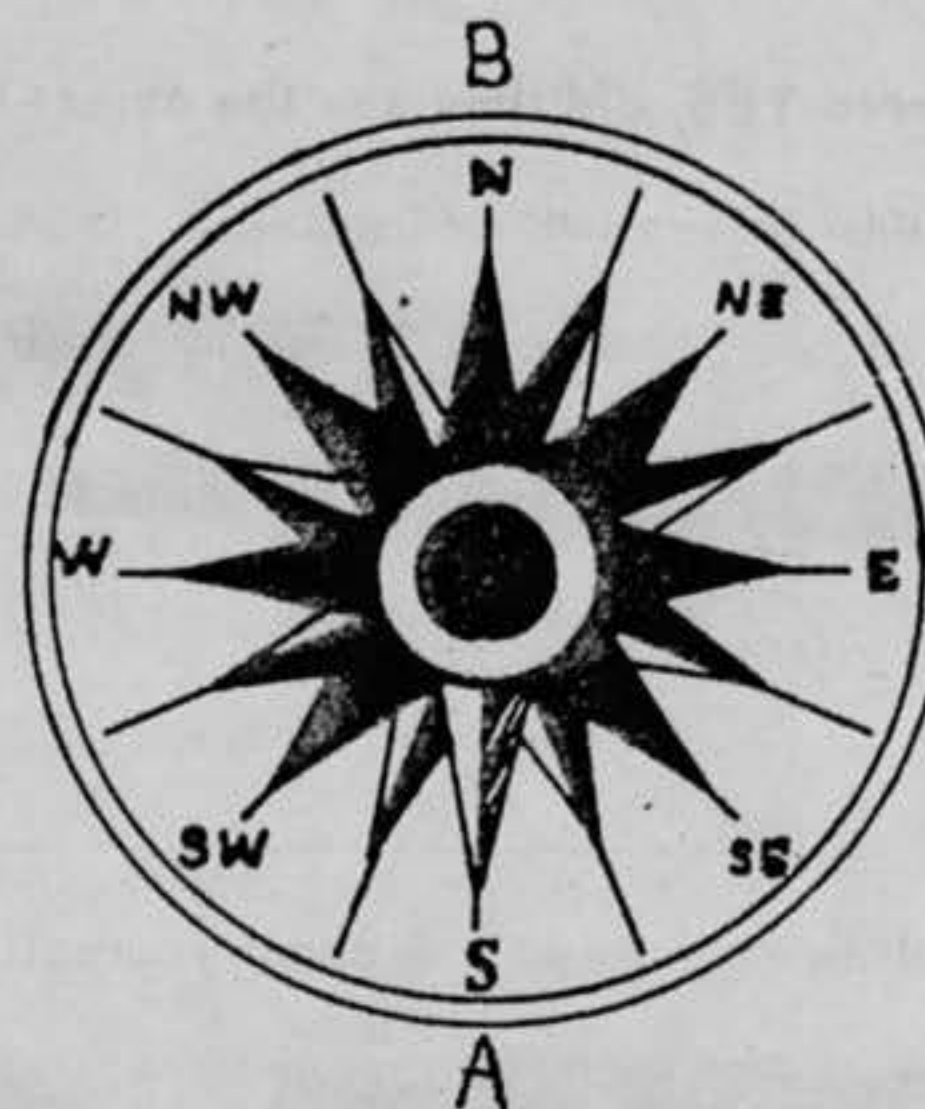
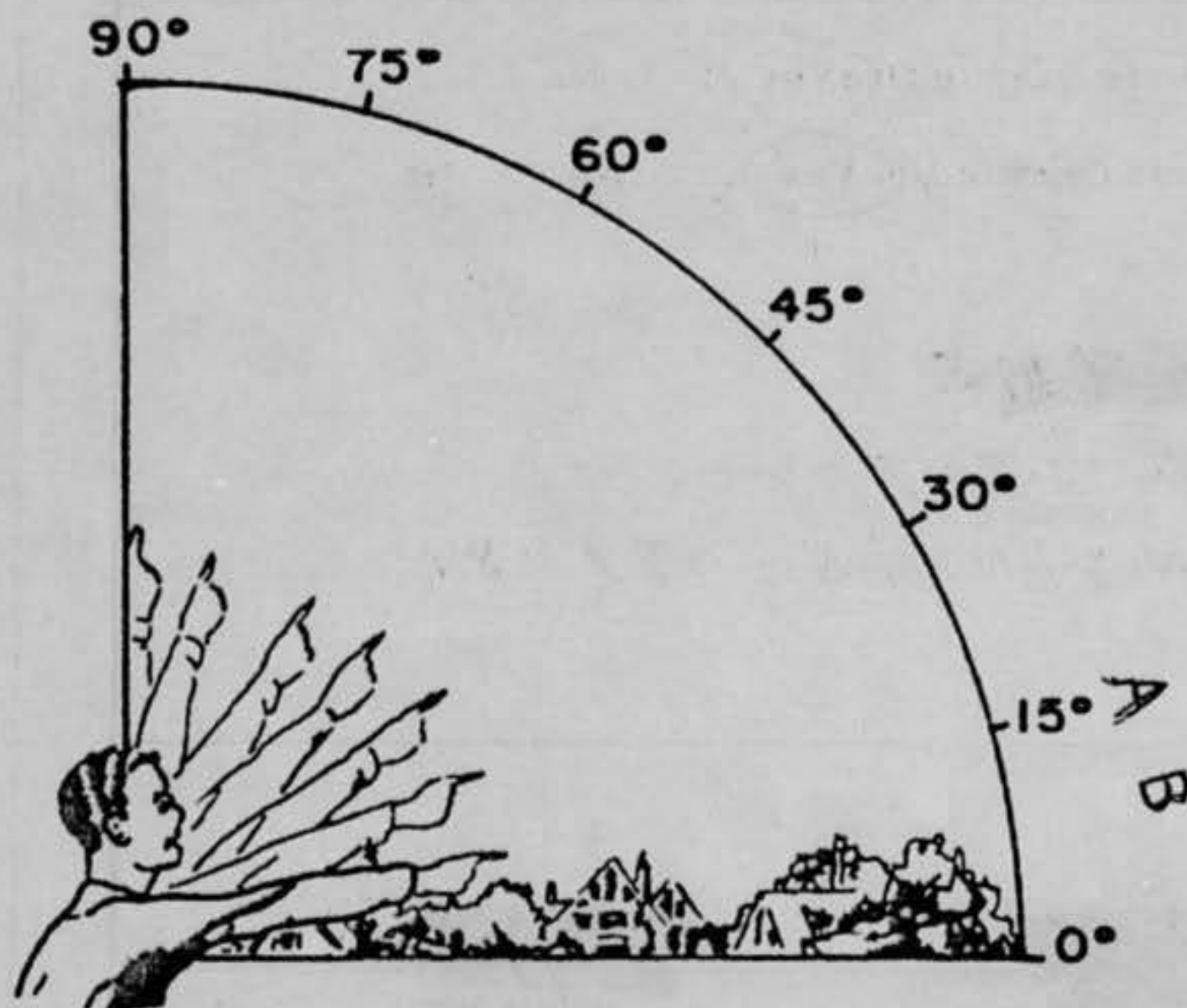
h. Other \_\_\_\_\_

26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

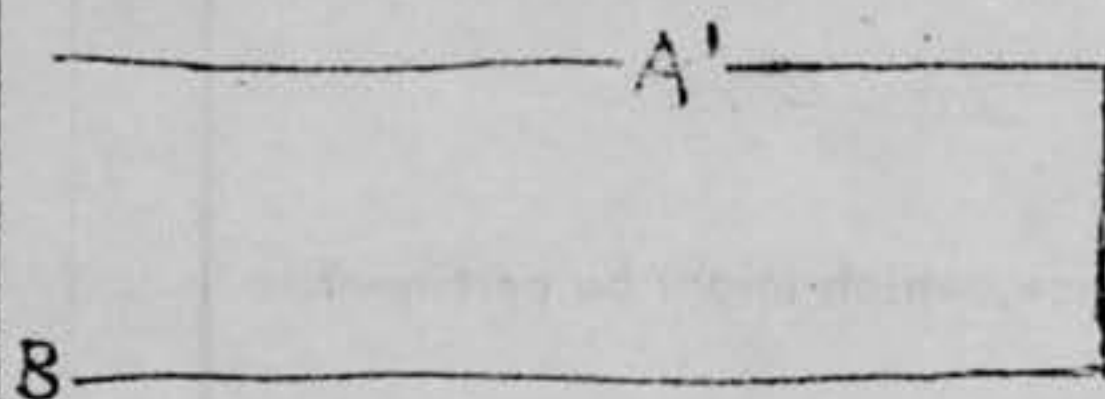
I CAN THINK OF NO OBJECT WHICH WOULD GIVE THE SAME APPEARANCE.



27. In the following sketch, imagine that you are at the point shown. Place an "A" on the curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the same curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *last* saw it. Place an "A" on the compass when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the compass where you *last* saw the object.



28. Draw a picture that will show the motion that the object or objects made. Place an "A" at the beginning of the path, a "B" at the end of the path, and show any changes in direction during the course.



*The first sighted object and stopped under it at point A-1. When we became afraid we moved on, turning the corner, and stopped at point A-2. We then lost object and were taken by surprise when it suddenly appeared overhead at point A2 and disappeared at point B.*

29. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? \_\_\_\_\_

Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.



30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object before. If so give date or dates and location.

NO

31. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object? (Circle One)

Yes

No

31.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too? (Circle One)

Yes

No

31.2 Please list their names and addresses:

MRS.

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] 14<sup>TH</sup> STREET  
SHEBOYGAN, WISCONSIN 53081

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME

[REDACTED]  
 Last Name

[REDACTED]  
 First Name

[REDACTED]  
 Middle Name

ADDRESS

[REDACTED]  
 Street

SHEBOYGAN  
 City

Zone

WISCONSIN  
 State

53081

TELEPHONE NUMBER

[REDACTED]

AGE

37

SEX

FEMALE

Indicate any additional information about yourself, including any special experience, which might be pertinent.

33. When and to whom did you report that you had seen the object?

24

Day

March

Month

1966

Year

Reported to Sheboygan  
Police Dept., also Sheriff  
Office of Sheboygan County  
immediately after sighting.



34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

22 MAY 1966  
Day Month Year

35. Information which you feel pertinent and which is not adequately covered in the specific points of the questionnaire or a narrative explanation of your sighting.

The first thing that caught our attention was a "pair" of bright, white lights.

When we got beneath the object we could see that the span between the lights was approximately like the span of the wings of a large airplane. At this time all the lights as depicted in drawing on page 3, no. 19, were not flashing but were steady. We are not sure whether the shallow V shape we could make out was two bars or an outline of the object.

We were the only people on the street at this time.

The object did not disappear while we were watching it, but after we moved to a different location we could not see it where it had been before and thought it did disappear. We were amazed when it re-appeared from behind us, (from opposite direction we were watching) flew right over us just above the rooftops, flew very low across the city and disappeared from view. At the time of this second sighting there were more lights, mostly white, some red and green. This time the lights were flashing in an irregular pattern.